

Birthday Party

Mrs. D. P. Moon gave an informal party Saturday evening in honor of her daughter, Lucile, who celebrated her 19th birthday. A color scheme of pink and green was carried out. Games were played and refreshments were served. She received many nice gifts. Those present were: Eva Martin, Charles Lee Woody, Vernell Almond, Watson Dean, Mae Webb, Willie Mayberry, Jack McFadden, Florence Layne, Roy Moon, Avis Godsey, Berkeley Gull, Alice Gull, Maynard Gilbert, Dolly Williams, James Spiggle, Alida Barlow, Estelle Layne, Margaret Moon, Thomas Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Nott Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bryan, and Mrs. Sam Mayberry.

Opportunities Now In Regular Army

Do not confuse the Regular Army with other proposed military training organizations. The Regular Army has a two fold duty: first to be the initial protective force in our defense plans, and second to train any force necessary to meet expanding needs. The Regular Army service need not be temporary, but a permanent career.

Soldiers and officers of the Regular Army are almost continually going to school themselves to thoroughly know their own jobs, or teaching others to be better soldiers. A modern army is so complex it needs many specialists, experts, and mechanics in practically every trade, craft or profession known in civil life. The men who join the Regular Army have a permanent position as long as they apply themselves.

For the high-school graduate, vacancies exist for young men from the states of Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and the District of

Civil Service Jobs, Aircraft Inspection

An examination has been announced, and is now open until further notice, for procurement inspectors in the Material Division, Air Corps, War Department, at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. Like Civil Service Commission states that there is an urgent need to fill these positions. Qualified persons are urged to apply at once.

There are three grades of positions as follows: The full grade, paying \$2,300 a year; senior grade, \$2,600 a year; and the assistant grade, \$2,000 a year. The examination includes six branches of inspection work: aircraft, engines, instruments, parachutes, aircraft propellers, and tools and gauges.

United States may take over Singapore from Britain as naval base.

Most cities report great crowds of young men flocking to Army Recruiting stations to volunteer.

Election Day November 6th.

Considerable work on Route 460 being done near Farmville.

Democratic speaking here at court house as 1 P. M. October 1st.

Read the Sunday School Lesson in your county newspaper.

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Cheatham Reunion

The family of the late S. W. Cheatham held their annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Marshall, this county.

At noon, an old Virginia style picnic luncheon was served. A birthday cake was cut for members of the family observing birthdays during the month of September.

Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cheatham, Beulah Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thompson, Everett Thompson, Mrs. Charles Torrence, Stuart V. and Niece Torrence, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Torrence, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Agre, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Howerton, Mrs. Lula Howerton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor, of Bedford; Paul Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nash and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nash and son, Miss Eliza Morris, Miss Ruby Torrence, and Herman Marshall, Miss Kathleen Agre, Clarence Agre Jr., Earl Agre, Miss Beatrice Woodson, Miss Majorie Marshall, Miss Irma Torrence, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Torrence, and son, Mr. J. L. Harvey, J. K. Pulliam, Charles Pulliam and Carl Pulliam.

Colored Dots

The community is called upon to support a county wide baby contest sponsored by the First Baptist Church.

The public is invited to attend the annual meeting of the East and West Union of Appomattox and Prince Edward counties this Sunday, beginning at 10 A. M.

The public is invited to attend the revival service to begin this Sunday at the Mount Airy church.

A social will be given at the local high school next Monday night, beginning at 8 P. M.

Figure Amount of Milk Needed by Human Body

There's a very simple method families can use to figure how much milk each person should drink every day. It's as easy to work out as two times two equals four, say nutrition specialists at the University of Illinois college of agriculture.

Calcium, the body-building factor for which milk is the primary source, is required in the human body at the rate of from four to six milligrams for each pound of body weight. Six milligrams can be taken for food measure, say the nutritionists, and multiplied by the amount the person weighs. For instance, if he weighs 160 pounds, the resulting answer would be 6 times 160 or 960 milligrams. From this number is subtracted 300 milligrams since that is the amount of calcium usually received from other food sources. The figure remaining would equal the amount of calcium to be furnished by the milk the person drinks.

Each glass of milk contains approximately 240 milligrams of calcium. Therefore the 160-pound person least needing at least 360 milligrams of calcium from milk, should drink almost two standard size glasses of milk a day.

First Mother's Day

A picnic for mothers-at the end of the Civil War-when the hatred of men, who had once been friends, still existed-that was the first organized Mother's Day in history.

The mother who planned this picnic was the first to see that men become friends again and just be mothers' sons once more, died, but her daughter, who was even born then, carried on the good work. She was Anna Jarvis-inspired by the good work that her mother had laid down-spread the idea of Mother's Day, both as a memorial to her mother and a flowering of her work. And so, on the second Sunday in May, 1908, the second organized Mother's Day was organized.

And in 1914 she saw the passage of the bill making Mother's Day a national flag holiday. President Wilson presented her with the pen with which he signed the bill.

Eats Whole Pig

When a child is born among the Marquesans, a Polynesian people in the central Pacific, a feast is given at which the household head is presented with a pig in recognition of his service in donating the child, says a study published by the Columbia University Press.

"It is supposed to eat the entire pig himself. The relatives closest to the child, that is, the father's sisters and the mother's brothers, have their hair cut at this time, the short locks being made into a set of ornaments, a shoulder cap, a kilt, decorations for knees, ankles, elbows and wrists. The fully equipped male in full regalia looks somewhat like a poodle. The hair is handled by professional curlers, being wound in tubes, wrapped in fiber, and baked."

Panama Hats From Ecuador

Despite the name, the world's best Panama hats actually come from Ecuador, not from Panama, as the name might imply. Some of these hats are so fine that they can be passed through a man's ring. Warning: This is not a good stunt to try with your derby or even with an ordinary straw.

Consider Child's Hobby When Choosing Curtains

Because the selection of curtains for a child's room should take into consideration the personality and hobbies of the youngster, most mothers find it more satisfactory to plan and make their own unusual window hangings.

Children live informally, therefore the theme of decoration in their rooms, with curtains playing a most important part, should be keyed to simplicity.

A visit to the yardage departments of any of our stores will show how inexpensively curtains, bedspreads, pillows, couch covers and dressing table skirts can be assembled for both boys and girls.

Curtain-making of this sort requires no great skill, though it is best to have a large flat surface for cutting and pressing; otherwise the job is nothing more than simple sewing.

Here are a few tip-top ideas that may help you give freshness and sparkle to children's rooms.

Gingham makes most attractive and practical curtains for the young girl's room. Choose a fine pink and white check. Make them straight, in full 36-inch width, hanging from the top of the window to the sill, with the handkerchief gudge attachment of your sewing machine, you can wind blue rick-rack into an unusual border of crisp-croscap and use it as a trim around the edges of the curtains. Dressing table skirt, chair and bedspread might be made to match.

When selecting curtains for a boy's room, consider his hobbies and use these interests as a basis for trimming simple unbleached muslin draperies. Fish, sailboats, airplanes, or animals can quickly be applied onto the curtains in gay colors, with the zigzagger attachment of the sewing machine. Or try the staccato accent of stripes. Red and white seersucker applied with bright blue anchors is a grand idea.

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Forest View

Forest View, Sept. 24. - We are sorry Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hudson have two sick children, one under doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Chap Nash returned last Sunday from Washington, D. C., where they spent the past two days visiting relatives.

The children of T. H. Ford gave him a birthday dinner on Sunday night at his home. All the daughters were present, with their husbands and children.

J. R. Ford, of near Appomattox, was absent. They all had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Nash and children recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burks, near Alta Vista.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cheatham will move to Hunter, Howard's for another year. They will certainly be missed in this neighborhood.

Rev. Blanks preached a splendid sermon at Petys Fork school house last Sunday night.

He reported a very enjoyable time on his trip to his old home place, where he had been invited by the church for home coming day last

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Personal

Dinner guests at Mrs. C. D. Lawrence's home last night were: Mr. and Mrs. John Owen and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owen called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Owen Sunday.

Misses Ruby Martin and Mary Helen Johnson left Sunday for Madison College, Harrisonburg, where they will study this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Martin, Ruby and Helen Martin, and Marguerite Moore spent Sunday before last in Louisa.

Misses Ella Lewis and Thelma Webb spent the week-end at their homes.

The Oakville home demonstration club met with Miss Ella Smith at Appomattox Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Doss and son, Henry Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Ayers and son, Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Burge and John Ed Stenson motored through Buckingham, Amherst, and Campbell counties Sunday, taking a picnic lunch.

Mrs. Thomas Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Hunter and Mrs. Minnie Burks were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Phelps Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Moore came in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aury Luge at Concord.

Governor Price Asks State Economy
Richmond, Sept. 25. - Strict economy has been urged by Governor Price at a meeting of state department in the capitol. The Governor explained that Virginia's defense program will necessitate expenses not anticipated in the budget, and that it will be necessary to save as much as possible "without curtailment of essential activities." As the meeting drew forward names of employees within the draft limits, whose services might be held indispensable, so his office.

Over 800 are enrolled at the Appomattox high school this year.

Vegetable Laxative Has Important Points
Most people take a laxative to do three things: (1) act punctually, (2) act thoroughly, (3) act gently. Here's one that usually fills all these requirements when the easy directions are followed. It's an all-purpose laxative, the one your principal ingredient has medical recognition as an "intestinal tonic-laxative."

That's the ingredient which enables BLACK-DRAUGHT to help you, laxative muscles. It is the main reason for the satisfying relief from constipation that generally follows BLACK-DRAUGHT is taken at bedtime. The millions of packages used are proof of its merit.

Auction

By JOE FINCKLY
(Associated Newspapers)
Will Service.

Appomattox is a growing town. October 16 is Registration Day for all men 21 to 35, inclusive.

Read the Sunday School Lesson in your county newspaper. Appomattox football team to play at Lawrenceville Friday night. Phone 40 with Personals. England continues to give no reception to German planes.

Appomattox merchants will gladly handle your country produce. Appomattox Lions Club meets tonight. Appomattox is a growing town. October 16 is Registration Day for all men 21 to 35, inclusive.

MRS. MINTON was about to sell her furniture. It was not, as Callie Dacre declared, Callie the tomboy who read stories and poetry when she was not out running her competitors in marathons-a "weeping" auction. It was just that Sarah Minton was captivated by mail-order catalogues and city apartments. So, now she was widowed, she determined to "get rid of all that old junk" and start afresh.

Mrs. Minton disliked Callie. Once she was sure she saw her smoking. Another time she was "all but run over" by Callie's roadster. And therefore Mrs. Minton determined to prevent the attaining of the desire of poor Callie's young heart by withholding her pewter candlesticks from the sale.

Callie was to be married in the fall and she loved pewter. Not because it was a fad, but because her curious soul there was a sense of beauty that was certainly rare in the prosaic countryside where her folks had lived since pioneer days.

Old Grandfather Dacre said Callie took after him. Maybe she did. I can picture Callie doing valiant things on a pirate schooner, because I've seen her extraordinary patience when Aunt Mildred had spells of rheumatism.

Now she was to marry a landscape architect and go to live in the village and Mrs. Minton made sure the candlesticks would not go with the sale.

Therefore, on the day appointed for the sale, when Callie, in a bright red sweater, her gallant curls tossing above tanned cheeks, drove the offending roadster into Mrs. Minton's yard, she was coldly informed that "let 99" had been withdrawn from the sale.

Callie sat down and grinned broadly at the old auctioneer.

"That will disappoint someone," she said casually.

"You did!" Callie!" said the shrewd old man.

"O, maybe, I'm just here to see the fun," was the gay response. Bill Nuttall, the fence, often said there was a diplomatist lost in the amazing old man.

A few dealers appeared to see what treasures might lie among Mrs. Minton's "junk." They found some good things, a delicious old chest, painted a brilliant blue by the thrifty Mrs. Minton. They fought hard battles over a rather nice four-poster. Seeing that the owner knew nothing of the values they did not scruple to keep prices down. At last Callie, who hated to see unfair play, stood up and bid briskly-for a warning, a nice piece.

She got it, too, although the dealers ran up a stiff price. She bought some later-ware, tremulously lovely, and an old imported Chippendale chair with gracious curves. "Some folks have money to burn," sniffed Mrs. Minton.

"Children are spoiled these days. That crack-brained old Dacre gives that girl enough pocket-money to run a farm. And what's she do? Almost pays for young Joe's gas station with that car of hers, racing up and down the roads till there's not a chicken or a child, either, for that matter, that's safe. And now buying rubbish that's only fit for the scrap-heap. Well, it's your advantage, Millie Minton. You should care!"

So the neighbors talked, while they ate ample lunches from packages they had brought. Everyone had been curious to see just what would be offered in this unusual sale.

When evening came Callie stopped with her hand on the brakes to say "good night and good-by" to her cross-grained acquaintance.

"It amazes me, Callie Dacre, what you could find to want in that old chair and that warning pan."

"I couldn't bear to see you cheated, Mrs. Minton," said Callie. "I guess I don't know how lovely your things are. If I could, I would furnish my home with what you've thrown away. What made me do it?" Mrs. Minton gasped. "Do-you really mean you wanted to help me?"

"I like to see everyone get a square deal," said Callie. "You see, I'm used to sporting events and in sports fairness is everything. And those dealers weren't fair to you. But of course I wanted the lovely old chair, terribly too. Only I paid you what was right. They didn't. It was horrible."

Mrs. Minton mumbled an excuse and hurried into the house. In a few moments she came back carrying the pewter candlesticks.

"My dear," she said, with tears very near the surface. "I guess I've misjudged you. Won't you take these for a wedding gift? I didn't know you had friendly thoughts for me; just thought you only cared to tear around in that car of yours."

Callie hopped out of the car and hugged the astonished Mrs. Minton.

"Of course I'll take the candlesticks; they're a terribly valuable present, though, and I hope you won't be sorry you've wasted them on me. I couldn't understand why they were withdrawn from the sale."

Mrs. Minton cleared her throat. "O, my dear, I guess you couldn't ever understand," was all she said, but she looked quite lovingly at the departing roadster and the reckless red arm waving its merry farewell.

Beauty Reaches All-Time High in New '41 Chevrolet

Completely new styling joins with numerous mechanical improvements to make the new 1941 Chevrolet, now on display at all dealers, a worthy successor to the cars which have earned first place in public favor year after year. The greater size and roominess of the new models, as well as their sleek new beauty, are apparent in the Special De Luxe Sport Sedan, shown at the top of the page. At (2) is shown the spacious interior of the same model's rear compartment, and at (3) is the front compartment, showing two-spoke steering wheel with horn-blowing ring, new sliding-type sun visor, and amply-recycled dash.

One of the major changes is substitution of concealed safety-doors (4) for the running boards of other years, an improvement adding to the car's beauty without sacrifice of the safety and convenience which running boards provide. At (5) is the six-cylinder Chevrolet valve-in-head engine for 1941, in which many refinements have been made. Horsepower is increased from 85 to 90 without affecting economy. Chevrolet dealer cordially invites you and your family to visit his showroom . . . invites you to make a thoroughgoing test of the finest motor car Chevrolet has ever built . . . invites you to eye it, try it, buy it—today!

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